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NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE

Contract ID: DN11216621

TIP: N/A Federal Aid: N/A

WBS: 14C.088076 County: Transylvania

Location: SR 1151 Cash Road

Description: Mechanical Grinding of Stumps and Brush

Letting Date: February 12, 2013

The Department of Transportation does not exclude any person from participation in, deny any person the benefits of, or otherwise discriminate against anyone in connection with the award and performance of any contract covered by this program on the basis of race, color, sex, political affiliation/ influence, or national origin.

SBE PROGRAM INFORMATION

This is a SBE contract and to qualify for the NCDOT SBE Program a firm must have an annual gross income of \$1,500,000 or less, exclusive of materials. Only contractors currently certified as a SBE Contractor by the Contractual Services Unit of NCDOT and is listed in the Directory of Transportation Firms at bid opening will be eligible to bid on this project. Prospective bidders who qualify for the SBE Program and are not currently certified should submit a completed application packet prior to bid submittal to allow for review time. The application packet and additional information on the program may be obtained online at:

http://www.ncdot.org/business/ocs/sbe/

Per G.S. 136-28.10, a NC General Contractor's license may be waived for SBE contracts.

Per G.S. 136-28.10, contract payment and performance bonds may be waived.

BID OPENING

Sealed bids must be received in the Division 14 Office at 253 Webster Road, Sylva, NC 28779 by 2:00 PM on Tuesday, February 12, 2013.

OTHER INFORMATION

The contract proposal is available online at https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx . Bidders must request a validation email from d14contracts@ncdot.gov to be considered a valid plan holder. Supplemental project information and addendums will be posted at https://connect.ncdot.gov/letting/Pages/Division.aspx .

Questions should be addressed to <u>d14contracts@ncdot.gov</u>.

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